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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fees Paid (\$) |
| Utility | 330 | 165 | 540 | 270 | 220 | 110 | |
| Design | 220 | 110 | 100 | 50 | 140 | 70 | |
| Plant | 220 | 110 | 330 | 165 | 170 | 85 | |
| Reissue | 330 | 165 | 540 | 270 | 650 | 325 | |
| Provisional | 220 | 110 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
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| | 52 |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 220 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 390 |

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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